

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Customer Number: 41552
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 Palsson, Bernhard : Confirmation Number: 1729
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 Filed: August 06, 2001 : Examiner: NEGIN, Russell Scott
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For: METHODS FOR IDENTIFYING DRUG TARGETS BASED ON GENOMIC SEQUENCE DATA

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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Response to the Office Action mailed December 18, 2008, in the above-identified application.

- ☐ No additional fee is required.
☒ Applicant is entitled to small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27
☒ Petition for Three-Month Extension of Time
☒ Exhibit A - Declaration executed by Jay D. Keasling with Exhibit 1 attached
☒ Exhibit B - Declaration executed by Bernhard O. Palsson with Exhibits 1-10 attached
☒ Exhibit C - Declaration executed by Jens B. Nielsen with Exhibits 1-2 attached
☒ Information Disclosure Statement
☒ Form 1449 with 314 references attached
☒ Communication

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	NO. OF CLAIMS	HIGHEST PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Total Claims	26	40	0	\$26.00 =	\$0.00
Independent Claims	2	5	0	\$110.00 =	\$0.00
Multiple dependent claims newly presented					\$0.00
Fee for extension of time					\$555.00
Fee for information disclosure statement					\$180.00
Total of Above Calculations					\$735.00

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- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 502624, including any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for presentation of extra claims and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

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